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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: DCI and [] Briefings of PFIAB on 13 October

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Fred Demech, Deputy Executive Director, PFIAB said that the strategic and military task force recently completed its interviewing of government employees concerned with arms control and had sent its recommendations to the President. The purpose of inviting the DCI and secretaries of State and Defense to meet with the Board is that after hearing from officials from the three agencies, the Board would now like to discuss arms verification and monitoring with the agency heads. A letter has been sent to the DCI describing what the Board wants, identifying the members who will be present, and informing the DCI that Roland Herbst (R & D Associates), Jerry Johnson (GRW), and Ivan Bennett (NYU), who are consultants to PFIAB, would sit in if there is no objection.

Demech expects Foster, Borman, Connally, Jaworski, Luce, Weiss and possibly Cherne will attend the briefing.

Demech would not go into detail on the letter to the President except to say that it recommended that a draft treaty be written.

Demech was asked whether there were any specific issues related to monitoring and verification that the Board would want the DCI to discuss and he said no they were planning a general discussion on the USG's ability to monitor Soviet activities and that the session would probably evolve into a theoretical/philosophical discussion on arms control/verification.

It was noted that this was not sufficient guidance for the Agency and Demech acknowledged that this was so but that the meeting was not governed by any agenda.

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